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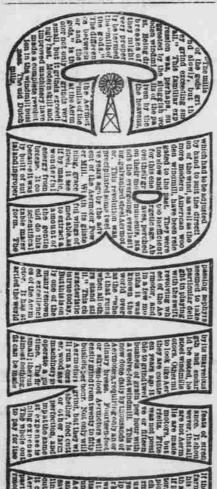


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The serious, earnest-minded czar of Russia recently said to his royal cousin, the Duke of York: "The position of an emperor carries with it many hardships, many anxieties; but of all my duties I dread most that of having to speak publicly, no matter how small the audience. People generally expect too much from an emperor. When I speak I feel how little they are get-

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Dovlestown (Pa.) Spe. Phila. N. American: A big copperhead snake entered the Point Pleasant Baptist

church Sunday evening while the Christian Endeavor society was holding a meeting. There was a panic for a few minutes, and several women fainted. After a short chase around the pews the leader of the meeting dispatched the snake. New Berry Exhibited.

Recently a new fruit was exhibited to the fellows of the Royal Horticultural society in London. The plant bearing it is a hybrid between the raspberry and the common blackberry. The taste of the fruit combines the New York, 10%0 10%0 flavor of the dewberry with that of the raspberry, and it comes into perfection as the raspberries are falling Gas in Trees.

It is said that gas for lighting purposes is obtained from the leaves of the Australian gum tree, and in Germany, Russia, Norway, and other countries, gas made from wood has beer introduced. Almost every tree may be said in a way to produce gas, for thet all give off carbonic acid gas it greater or less quantities during thi

Savings of Britain's Poor.

The report of the British Registrar General shows that the sums in the government savings banks to the credit of the depositors aggregates £130,-118,605. There are eight million depositors or one in every five of the population. The average amount per head is highest in Ireland, where it works out at £21 5s, England coming next with £16, and Scotland last with

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Monument to Dutch Settler.

A monument to Dirck Wesseles Ten Broeck, who successively held the office of magistrate commissary, recorder and mayor of Albany in the latter part of the seventeenth century. has been unveiled at Clermont, N. Y. The monument was erected by descendants of the Dutch settler and it bears this inscription: "Dirck Wesseles Ten Broeck. Born Dec. 18, 1638. Died at his Bouwerie on Roelof Jan-sen's Kil Sept. 18, 1717."

## DISCOVERIES OF THE CENTURY.

It is fortunate, since there are left no new lands to be discovered on this terrestrial globe, that faventive man has turned his mind to more useful things. So we have steam, electricity and many other advansteam, electricity and many other advantages not enjoyed by our forefathers. Medicine, too, has made great strides; for even man's old enemy. Rheumatism, has at last found its master in Swanson's "5 Brops." The success of this truly marvelous specific for Rheumatism has been astonishing and never equaled in the annals of medicine. It gives instant relief, kills germs, prevents disease and positively cures all forms of chronic and acute Rheumatism, Sciatica and Neuralgia. It is also used with unfalling affect in all Nervous Affections of every description, Catarrh, Croup. Bronchitis, Stomach, Liver and Kidney Troubles, La Grippe, Malaria, Creeping Numbness and kindred diseases.

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## THE LATEST NEWS IN BRIEF

The city council Santiago, Cuba, has donated \$500 for Galveston sufferers. Four school rooms in Galveston have been repaired and four classes are now

Nine hundred colored infantrymen sailed for Manila from San Francisco.

Deliveries of livestock in Chicago for the nine months just closed were 200, 493 carlonds.

Both of the assistant commissioners chosen by China are members of the progressive faction. The census bureau gives the popula-

tion of St. Joseph Mo., 102,979, as against 52,324 in 1890. Admiral Sampson has been in feeble health for more than a year and shows

no signs of improvement. The Santa Fe has contracted for 300 coal cars to cost \$200,000. They are to be of 80,000 pounds capacity.

The striking Joplin printers, after being idle two days, went to work and an arbitration board is to be named.

A new \$10 counterfeit silver certifis cate has been discovered. It is a photographic print without the silk border. General Cronje and other Boer prisoners at St. Helena celebrated the birthday of Paul Kruger on October

The children of the public schools of St. Joseph, Mo:, contributed \$250 for the children of the public schools of Gal-

The American steam collier which was sunk in the Suez canal, has been floated and the canal is now open to

The bulk of the British militia regiments called out for service in South Africa are to be disbanded. In rank and file they number about 50,000 men. Steve Flanagan, a pugilist was mur dered in his fight with Jim Devine in Philadelphia. He did not regain consciousness after receiving the death blow.

The queen and maids of honor at Butler, Mo., rode in the parade in a decorated cab, because the queen's float had been destroyed in a runaway just

Col. Cody and C. J. Jones will meet in Yellowstone park, after the election and from there will go to the mountains to capture wild animals which are fast becoming extinct.

The Chicago Laundry trust is no more. The independent laundries won the fight against the trust.

Benj. B. Campbell is dead at the age of 73. He sank the first oil well ever put down in the United States.

All mail handled by rural delivery carriers is to be stamped by the carriers and again stamped at the sending office.

The United States has more than 50,-000 tons of coal at various points over the world for the use of the navy; nearly one-half that amount is at Manilla. Large quantities are now on the way to the far east.

Secretary Treasurer Ryan, of the United Mine Workers of Illinois, tells the Pennsylvania strikers that the miners of Illinois have at least \$400,000 in their treasury and would send the anthracite strikers \$250,000 if needed.

John Poone, the dead train robber, if it really proves to be he, is remembered in Kansas. He went to the penitentiary from Shawnee county in '91 for stealing chickens, but did not return there at the end of his term.

Employes af the department of state have been notified, by the direction of Secretary Hay, that they will not be discriminated against in any way for any failure to subscribe for political purposes.

The opening of the northern half of the Colville reservation, in Washington passed off quietly and comparatively few contests are expected.

C. M. Scott, of Kansas, has returned from Europe. He says that Americane can sell a bicycle for \$25 that cost the English manufacturer \$40 to make. Telegraph communication between

Seattle and Skagway is now complete. An association of public school teachers in Missouri is being formed. They propose an assessment of 1 per cent of their salaries to create a fund to pension teachers after serving 20

The signal service squad accompanying General Chaffee to Pekin, kept up with the army with a telegraph wire and reached the American legation with it ahead of the signal corps of the Tropleal Winds Blow Hard.

The chief characteristics of tropical hurricanes is the high wind velocity. No storm of temperate latitudes ever developes such appalling fury. There are few places in the interior of the United States where the wind ever blows more than forty or fifty miles an hotr; but in a West Indian cyclone velocities of eighty, ninety and 100 miles are not uncommon, and in 1897, at Cape Lookout, N. C., the anemometer registered 138.

New Ocean Greyhound. The famous Deutschland cost \$3,332. 000; displacement 23,200 tons; accommodation 1,057 passengers, has estab-lished a new record. Among the great remedies of the world Hostetter's Stomach Bitters holds the record with its fifty years of cures of constipation, indigestion and biliousness. Our Private Revenue & p is over the neck

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Hypocrites frequently lay themselves open to discovery by overacting their

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can never tell where they will strike and found it a good medicine in until after they have fallen.

## A CONGRESSMAN



Ex-Congressman A. T. Goodwyn. Ex-Congressman A. T. Goodwyn, from Alabama, writes the following letter: The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O. Gentlemen-"I have now used two bot-tles of Peruna, and am a well man totles of Peruna, and am a well man to-day. I could feel the good effects of your medicine before I had used it a week, after suffering with catarrh for over a year," Respectfully, A. T. Goodwyn. Catarrh in its various forms is rapidly becoming a national curse. An un-doubted remedy has been discovered by Dr. Hartman. This remedy has been thoroughly tested during the past forty years. Prominent men have come to know of its virtues and are making pub-

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